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15 June 1972

MEMORANDUM FOR: Assistant Deputy Director for
Intelligence

SUBJECT : Request to Participate in Panel
Discussion

1. I request permission to take part during the coming year as a discussant in a series of five or six restricted, small panel meetings under the auspices of [redacted] sponsors meetings on two or three subjects per year. They are intended as academic exercises, an opportunity for the exchange of views of academic, government, and private persons interested and knowledgeable concerning various aspects of world events. The views expressed at these meetings are those of the individuals involved, not of their parent associations. All meetings are considered privileged, and no publicity concerning what is said is allowed. In the past Agency personnel, including [redacted]

[redacted] have attended similar sessions to the one for which I am requesting approval.

2. The particular sessions to which I have been invited will deal with Chinese policy. They will be chaired by, and my invitation to take part comes from, [redacted]

The discussions will be completely on an unclassified basis and I will not divulge any classified information. I do not expect to give any extensive set speeches or to lead any of the discussion sessions; my role will be that

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of participant. My Agency affiliation will be known to the other panel members, but I will not be acting as a spokesman for any Agency views and this too will be clear to the participants.

Chief, Far East Division

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CONCURRENCES:

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Assistant Deputy Director
for Intelligence